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FOR USOAS, ARA AND L - MARK FELDMAN

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ODN, OAS

SUBJECT: SAN JOSE CONFERENCE - RIO TREATY - STATEMENTS  
FOR RECORD

REF: A. SAN JOSE 3065 (USDEL 30)

B. STATE 175094

1. PLENARY SESSION WILL PROBABLY BE HELD AFTERNOON, FRIDAY, JULY 25. WE HAVE ALREADY DECIDED THAT WE WOULD MAKE A FORMAL RESERVATION (REF A) ON ARTICLE 10 (COLLECTIVE ECONOMIC SECURITY) WHICH WILL BE APPENDED TO AND FORM A PART OF THE PROTOCOL OF AMENDMENT. WE ALSO PLAN TO REQUEST INCLUSION IN THE FINAL ACT OF A STATEMENT (PARA. 2 REF B) PROTECTING OUR LEGAL POSITION ON ARTICLE 4 (AREA OF COVERAGE), THE SAME APPROACH THAT WAS TAKEN ON THE TERRITORIAL CLAIMS/LAW OF THE SEA ISSUES IN 1947 WHEN THE ORIGINAL RIO TREATY WAS SIGNED.

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2. IN ADDITION TO ABOVE, WE HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE AN

ADDITIONAL STATEMENT OR STATEMENTS REGARDING OTHER ARTICLES OF THE PROTOCOL OF AMENDMENT RESPECTING OUR INTERPRETATION, SATISFACTION OR DISSATISFACTION WITH THEM. OTHER THINGS BEING EQUAL, WE WOULD PREFER NOT TO SPEAK AT GREAT LENGTH NOR TO GET INTO ISSUES WHICH WOULD CAUSE UNNECESSARY DEBATE; AT THE SAME TIME WE HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO STATE U.S. POSITIONS WHERE IT IS DESIRABLE TO DO SO.

4. IN ADDITION TO ARTICLES 4 AND 10, TO WHICH WE WILL REFER IN PLENARY, WE ARE CONSIDERING A STATEMENT OR STATEMENT ON ARTICLES 2 (DOES NOT AFFECT JURISDICTION OF SECURITY COUNCIL AND UNGA); 3 (OBSERVING THAT TREATMENT CONSTITUTES A DISTINCTION BUT NOT A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN INTRA-HEMISPHERIC AND EXTRA-CONTINENTAL ATTACKS); 9 (WE UNDERSTAND ALL AGREE THAT UNPROVOKED ATTACKS ON MARINE OR AIR FLEETS ARE CLEAR CASES OF AGGRESSION); 19 (THIS IS A WISE CHANGE THAT WILL IMPROVE AND STRENGTHEN THE SYSTEM IN THE LONG RUN); 22 (THE TREATY IS IMPROVED BY RECOMMENDATIONS LANGUAGE BUT WE DO NOT FEEL THE "SPECIAL ECONOMIC PROBLEMS" LANGUAGE, WHICH IN ANY EVENT DOES NOT APPLY TO A SANCTIONED STATE, IS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE).

4. IF DEPARTMENT BELIEVES WE SHOULD RAISE ISSUES OTHER THAN THOSE NOTED ABOVE, OR THAT WE SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT MAKE ANY OF THE POINTS SUGGESTED, PLEASE ADVISE. SUGGESTED LANGUAGE IS WELCOME, BUT COMMENTS SHOULD REACH US BY ABOUT 2:00 P.M., FRIDAY, JULY 25 IF THEY ARE TO BE USED.

5. WE WILL ASSUME, UNLESS OTHERWISE ADVISED, THAT DEPARTMENT WILL ACCEPT OAS CERTIFICATION (FOLLOWING STYLE COMMITTEE REVIEW) THAT FOUR OFFICIAL TEXTS ARE THE SAME IN ALL SUBSTANTIVE RESPECTS. (AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, STYLE COMMITTEE CONSISTS OF FOUR DELEGATES -- INCLUDING SUBSTANTIVE OFFICER FROM USDEL - PLUS FOUR OAS TRANSLATORS.)  
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